

TO JOIN THE OCEANS.

Feasible Plan for Building the Nicaragua Canal.

Address of the Committee Appointed by the Convention in St. Louis, June 2 and 4, 1901, to Prepare an Address to the American People Giving Information as to the Feasibility of the Nicaragua Canal and its Commercial and Other Advantages to the United States, has just finished the preparation of such address. The committee is composed of John S. Jones, of Arkansas; ex-Congressman Converse, of Ohio; R. W. Millspaugh, prominent banker of Mississippi; Capt. E. P. Mertry, of Manchester, La.; S. H. Hawkins, the railroad president of Georgia; Capt. Ambrose Snow, president of the New York board of trade and transportation; and ex-Gov. John A. Pillsbury, of Minnesota.

The address is supplementary to the resolutions adopted by the St. Louis convention, which pointed out the advantages of the canal and urged its construction, ownership and control by the American people rather than the English, French, or any other nation. It takes the position that a canal, joining the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, should be constructed for the most important commercial, strategic, and patriotic reasons, and says that the subject of such a canal is the most

In 1891 was over 1,800,000 tons, and 90 per cent. of the wheat was exported by sailing vessels and a large proportion of it passed around the Horn. The Nicaragua canal by shortening the route to Atlantic ports would not only save the producer cost of freight, but the revenue of the canal at \$2 per ton of wheat alone would be nearly \$1,000,000 per annum. It is shown that there are 500,000,000 thousand feet of merchantable timber in Washington and Oregon, to the value of which over \$2 per thousand feet would be added by cheap water transportation via the Nicaragua canal. The gross addition to the value would amount to the enormous sum of \$1,000,000,000, even at this low estimate of \$2 additional. The fruit industry of California would quadruple in two years from the opening of the canal for business, and fast refrigerated steamers would deliver fruit from California to Liverpool in fourteen days, and to New Orleans in eight days. The mountains of the Pacific coast are rich in lead, copper, silver, and gold, while the plateaus and valleys afford a cereal belt with a soil more durable, and more favorable seasons for seeding and harvesting than any part of the world, and the committee thinks the completion of the Nicaragua canal is only needed to develop that country to production of gigantic proportions and to double the population of the Pacific coast in a few years. The cotton-growing sections of the gulf states have undergone a depression, and the committee believes that nothing could be of

a more commanding position than Gibraltar. Among the beneficial results foreseen are a more practical drawing together of the remote parts of the vast domain of the world and a firmer cohesion of the widely-separated sections of the United States, added to a stronger feeling of neighborhood and community between the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard. The consummation of the work, whose feasibility has already been demonstrated, is asserted to be of far greater importance to the western hemisphere than the Suez canal is to the eastern. It is said that no precedent can be cited upon which to predict the future of American commerce when the gateway of the Inter-Oceanic canal across Nicaragua shall be open to it.

PRELIMINARY WORK ACCOMPLISHED.
All surveys and examination of strata requiring removal have been completed. The jetty has been constructed and the harbor of Greytown has been restored so that vessels of fourteen feet draft have an easy entrance. Extensive wharves, landing places and permanent buildings have been constructed, temporary camps erected, a telegraph line made, the canal cleared of timber for twenty miles, and a railroad twelve miles in length constructed and equipped. The biggest dredging plant in America, that formerly used at Panama, has been purchased and over a mile of the canal has been dredged. The exclusive franchise for the steam navigation of San Juan river and Lake Nicaragua and an extensive plant for the navigation company have been acquired. The government of Nicaragua has acknowledged that the company has complied with the canal grant, which provided that \$2,000,000 must be expended the first year. It is shown that the amount of money spent to date on the enterprise is over \$6,000,000. The enterprise is indorsed by the leading business men of the country, and that it will be judiciously and economically managed is assured by the character of the board of directors, who, by the charter of the company, are accountable to the government of the United States. The secretary of the interior has the power to make public all the details of the corporate management, thus protecting the investor against misuse of his money.

The Suez canal, it is shown, saves only 3,000 miles around the Cape of Good Hope, as against over 10,000 miles saved by the Nicaragua canal, and the following table shows the number of ships passing through, the net tonnage and the gross receipts of the Suez canal for six separate years:

YEAR.	No. of ships.	Net tonnage.	Gross receipts.
1870	1,491	2,040,984	\$5,455,750
1875	2,285	3,057,672	\$8,067,430
1880	3,474	4,335,792	\$10,067,550
1885	3,209	4,838,000	\$10,600,000
1890	3,209	6,800,000	\$15,451,500

The tonnage tributary now to the Nicaragua canal, and which would pass through after its opening, is over 6,000,000 tons a year. At \$2 per ton, the charge made by the Suez canal, this would be \$12,000,000 in tolls. The cost of operation and maintenance is placed at less than \$1,000,000, and 6,000,000 tons would show a net income of \$11,000,000 per annum. The committee is confident that within five years the income would be over \$20,000,000.

WHO SHALL BUILD AND CONTROL?
The committee says it is no longer a question whether the canal will be built or not. The only question is as to who shall build it, and who shall control it when built? It says it has been informed that European syndicates have already made overtures to the canal company, but the committee believes the United States cannot afford by carelessness, hesitation or neglect to permit an enterprise of such magnitude and of such far-reaching advantage to pass into the hands of a foreign company. "It therefore behooves us," the address concludes, "as a nation conscious of the power we wield and of the greater influence we may exert upon the destinies of this continent, to perform the duties without delay which we deny other nations the privilege of assuming, and to adopt now the best means of securing the early completion of this work, whose advantages we are willing to share with the world, but whose control should never be allowed to pass out of our hands."

A Rainy Day Marriage.
It was pouring hard, and a certain minister not long since filling one of our pulpits settled himself for an afternoon of sermonizing. There came a sudden squall of rain at the bell. On opening the door a gentleman and lady, both in ordinary apparel and much the worse for the storm, stepped into the hall.

"Say, parson, we want to be spliced—don't we, Mary?"

Mary nodded cooly, as if the splicing process were a matter of supreme indifference to her.

"You see, parson," continued the prospective bridegroom, "we didn't have work in the mill to-day and we wanted to get in on the tide, and I told Mary that we would be spliced to-day as any time. Mary said her clothes wasn't fit, but I told her they'd do for a rainy day."

He had his license, and so, choking back his indignation, as if he didn't know it was the custom for a lady to act as witness and the two were spliced.—*Lewis and Clark.*

THE PROTECTION BUNCO.

How the Monopolists Confound the Republican Farmer.

It is not a question of high tariff or low tariff before the people at this election. It is a question of protection alone. We can have either a high tariff or a low tariff without protection. We can have a high tariff or a low tariff with protection. Whether the tariff shall be high or low is necessarily a question of revenue—not necessarily of protection.

"Protection is robbery"—and robbery is theft. Protection requires a duty, in order that a trust to control prices may be formed in this country, but the duty may be low or high—the possible protection or robbery under the trust may be much or little.

Whether the robbery is small or great, every cent taken is larceny under the statute.

With the duty and without the trust to control prices there can be no "protection" except in the rare instances where the protection article must be largely imported to supply the demand, and the market price here must be the

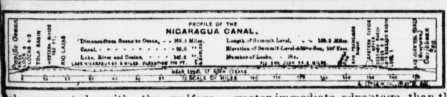
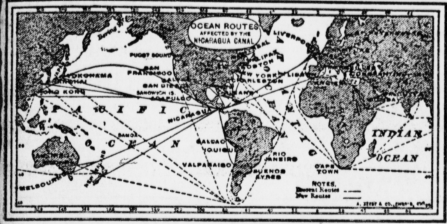
POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

—The demand for republican campaign badges has decreased to such an extent that it is thought the American tin plate mills will now be able to keep up with their orders.—*N. Y. World.*

—The business of the country has not forgotten the apprehension of the winter of 1891, when Harrison was using every influence to turn the momentous senatorial battle into a force bill victory.—*Kansas City Times.*

—Some uninforming republican editors are still citing voters to the tariff figures of State Statistician Peelle, of Indiana. Mr. Peelle has made no report. The organs will have to manufacture a new batch of crooked statistics.—*Chicago Herald.*

—Indiana veterans have a vivid and indelible memory of Candidate Reid's war record. Their feeling against him is such that the "old boys" in the Hoosier state do not care to see or hear the man who, as a war correspondent, wilfully and maliciously misrepresented them while fighting at the front for the nation's preservation. They forced him to leave camp hurriedly be-



connected with the welfare, growth and prosperity of the United States. It declares that the only feasible route for such a canal is by way of Nicaragua, and points out that the reasons of the two great political parties have indorsed the project. It appears that all the engineers have agreed in expressing a decided preference for the Nicaragua route, because, among other reasons, only 255 miles of the entire distance of 1695 miles from the Atlantic to the Pacific can be reached by the Nicaragua route. Lake Nicaragua will constitute a harbor sufficient to accommodate the navies and commerce of the world. It is 110 miles long, 60 miles wide, and is 250 feet at its deepest point. Vessels entering the canal on the Atlantic ocean will sail on a level with the ocean for 125 miles, at the end of which they will be raised by locks to the level of the lake. They will sail along the San Juan river and the lake on the lake level to the point within 35 miles of the Pacific man. Here they will be lowered by locks to the level of the Pacific ocean.

COST OF THE WORK.
The committee says the cost, including the payment of interest during the progress of the work, will be less than \$60,000,000, and the time required for completion of the work is within years. The climate of Nicaragua is healthy, and out of 1,600 northern men employed in constructing a railroad during a swampy only two died during a period of four months. Of 200 northern engineers and skilled men who have worked for the canal company for three years not one has been taken from a disease incident to the country. By the Nicaragua canal the distance saved is shown by this table:

Between	Miles present route, via	Miles via Nicaragua Canal.
Y. and San Francisco	16,000	4,007
Y. and Portland	12,000	5,000
Y. and Seattle	12,000	5,000
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DID WE HEAR ANYTHING DROPP?—Philadelphia Times.

foreign cost with the duty added—where American producers do not compete with foreigners to supply the market. In all other cases the trust creates the protection; the trust collects the "boodle," and the trust divides the plunder among the members.

Congress pushes the tariff button, but trusts must be the red. The duty imposed by congress merely cuts off foreign competition, but that is no protection to the American producer if he has American competition. The competition of one thousand American firms brings the price as low as the competition of ten thousand. To create the American protection, the American competition must be destroyed, and that can be accomplished only through the trust. Without the trust there is no protection and no "boodle"—only a duty which does not protect. When the salt trust is broken and prices drop, its protection vanishes. When the salt trust is reformed and prices rise, its protection comes again. What vanishes? The robbery of the people—the collection of boodle by the trust. What comes again? The robbery of the people—the collection of boodle by the trust. The duty is there before the robbery begins again. The "protection" is not in the duty, but in the trust, without which protection is but "a striving after wind."

The protection of the duty alone is the sawdust of the green-goods men. The protection of the duty and trust combined is a gold mine. The republican farmer gets the sawdust protection of the duty alone to pay him for voting in favor of the genuine protection of duty and trust combined to the protective tariff trust league. It cannot see any difference, or where the bunco comes in.

It is to open the republican farmers' eyes to this bunco, to the difference between the counterfeit protection of a duty and the genuine protection of a trust combined with a duty, that the western campaign fund will be used.

You can cast two votes against tariff trusts and take one vote from them by sending one dollar to the western campaign fund. For every dollar contributed at least one republican farmer will have the nature of the protection bunco made clear to him.—*N. Y. World.*

cause of his offending, and in November will show Mr. Harrison's running mate how surely time works its revenge.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Personalities in politics seldom pay. The old style of abuse of an opponent is old-fashioned in more than one sense. Attacks upon the physical features of Grover Cleveland's personality illustrate anew the kind of "enemies he has made."—*Boston Herald.*

—Senator Hill summons every democrat to rally to the support of Cleveland and Stevenson. The reasons he gives for their election and for the ascendancy of democratic principles are conclusive and binding, and if there be any man calling himself a democrat and a friend of New York's senators who now falters in obedience to that summons let him strip his disguise and renounce fealty to the party and the man at the same time. The democracy of New York state are united for Cleveland and Stevenson.—*Albany Argus.*

—When we think of Lincoln, Chase, Trumbull, Sumner, Wade and others, who founded the republican party upon the basis of the equality of all men, what a sorry spectacle it is to associate with these names such men as Tom Reed, Boutwell, Foraker, Quay, Platt, Chandler and others of the kind. The high aims of the g. o. p. are buried with the dead. Tom Reed recently gave this definition of a statesman: "A successful politician who is dead." No thoroughly honest man would have thought of a statesman in that light.—*Columbus (O.) Press.*

—The republican record shows a constant drift toward plutocracy. So gradual has the movement been that it is difficult to realize the change that has taken place in the party's attitude. Under the selfish influences and demands of the privileged interests it has built up by discrimination, its policy of protection has changed from a temporary expedient to be gradually abolished to a permanent course of government. Privileges granted ostensibly in behalf of the whole people are to be made permanent for the benefit of the favored few in exchange for political support and pecuniary aid in carrying elections. The force bill is the capstone of the plutocratic arch which the republicans are constructing.—*St. Louis Post-Dispatch.*

HAZEL GREEN HERALD.

SPENCER COOPER, Editor.



HAZEL GREEN, KY.:
FRIDAY, : Nov. 18, 1892.

CURRENT NEWS AND COMMENT.

Now turn the rascals out.

WASN'T it a great, grand and glorious victory?

WHERE now are the smart sneaks who said Grover couldn't win?

"TO HELL goes my postoffice," is the soliloquy of 60,000 postmasters.

"THE tariff is a tax on the consumer." Verdict by the people, Nov. 8th.

THE president, senate and congress, all in one day, is a pretty good scoop, eh?

HAVE you heard it? Hazelrigg, Lisle and Redwine all go in with big majorities.

LEADING Republicans now admit that the McKinley bill was a mistake. But the discovery came too late.

PEOPLE will find the necessities of life much cheaper after the new administration takes the reigns of government.

THE Australian ballot gives the people a chance to vote their sentiments. Hence the grand victory for Grover and tariff reform.

THE HERALD is a political prognosticator from 'way back. It said Cleveland would sweep the country like a cyclone, if Democrats did their duty. And they did, to a queen's taste.

MARK this prediction. Not a man who voted at the last election will live to see the Republican party, as now organized, ascend to the administration of this country's affairs again. It is dead, and beyond resurrection.

SHOULD the Democratic party fulfill its promises to the people, which it will most certainly do, its lease of power will be so long that people will have forgotten that the Republicans were ever in power! And so note it be.

BESIDES being the type of American journalism, according to Max O'Rell, THE HERALD enjoys the distinction of having been established on the day that Grover Cleveland was first inaugurated president, and being since that time a consistent Cleveland organ. It is, therefore, very proud of its tail feathers, and pardonably so, we hope.

NOTICE what a marked contrast there is between the two messages which follow, one received just before and the other just after the election. They are amusing:

Spencer: Come to Grover's funeral on November 8.

Choper: It is Uncle Ben's funeral—not Grover's. We ain't in it all. A Republican wreck from end to end.

W. J. LAMPTON has a lengthy article in the Detroit Free Press, of Nov. 3d, on "Kentucky Journalism," in which we find the following complimentary notice of THE HERALD, and we reproduce it simply to show that both Mr. O'Rell and Mr. Lampton are cognizant of a good thing when they see it. Their respectively flattering notices of our bantam has opened a warm corner in our heart to them, and if either Max or Will ever come our way they'll find the latchstring on the outside, and inside a welcome warmed with mellow mountain dew, even though our better; should kick at our seeming disregard for the prohibition that abides with us always. Come and see us, boys.

In Old Kaintuck, October 25.—Some of the best examples of undiluted American journalism obtainable are to be found in Kentucky, notably around the edges of the mountain region, that great spread of country to the east where railroads never break through and steel, and where newspapers never come until they are a week old.

When Max O'Rell wrote his first impressions of America, he singled out the HAZEL GREEN HERALD, of Wolfe county as the type of what he referred to above, as undiluted American journalism.

These Kentucky papers may lack the breeziness and bluntness of the far western journals, but they are more nearly typical in that they are established institutions, and the towns and communities in which they are published are old and permanent and not cosmopolitan.

Wage Winners.

New York, Nov. 10.—The man that won the most money by the election of Cleveland is Michael Dwyer, the plunger of the turf. Mr. Dwyer's winning will aggregate \$75,000. To win this amount Mr. Dwyer wagered about \$180,000. The bulk of his money was placed at big odds.

Another big winner by the Democratic victory is Joseph J. O'Donohue. He has a little over \$20,000 to collect to-day. His wagers were principally that Cleveland would carry the state of Indiana. Edward Murphy, jr., has won nearly \$40,000. He bet but little on the result of this state. His biggest bet was \$35,000 even on the general result.

Ed Kearney has won about \$35,000. His bets were made chiefly on the result of this state. The bulk of his money was placed at odds of from 5 to 5 to 2 to 1. Subway Commissioner Walton Storm will profit to the extent of \$12,500. Bookmaker J. Mahoney foots up his earnings in the neighborhood of \$25,000.

The heaviest known losers are Dave Martin, who placed about \$50,000; Bookmaker Wheelock, who lost \$55,000, and Bookmaker Fred Lowe, who has about \$12,500 on the wrong side of his ledger.

A Compliment Well Bestowed.

Hazel Green Academy sends us a neat annual catalog of twenty-four pages, giving a list of students, an historical sketch, an outline of courses, methods of instruction, and general arrangements, all very neatly arranged and well gotten up. The school has done and is doing a noble work in that long neglected part of Kentucky and every lover of the State must be glad to learn that the school is flourishing and that the great loss sustained by the fire of February 26th, has been repaired. Besides the catalog the school publishes a neat, interesting monthly paper, the Hazel Green Academicist, which deserves cordial support from every friend of education. It costs but twenty-five cents a year and is well worth five times that much. The principal of the school is Wm. H. Cord, to whom correspondence should be addressed.—Educational Contant.

An Elephant Won On a Wager.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 10.—One of the most remarkable election bets in the campaign was made here. Orton's circus is playing in the city, but is minus an elephant, Hal Devine, a young sportsman, now claiming the animal. Tuesday night Hal had fifty dollars which he wanted to put up with Orton's manager on the presidential result. The man had wagered all his money, but said he would bet the elephant against Devine's fifty dollars. The bet was closed, and now, from all indications, Devine owns the elephant. Devine's friends advise him to ride the elephant in the Democratic ratification procession, and turn it loose.

Mark This!

Nobody can say that the election of last Tuesday was a sectional one. If the solid south had been blotted out of existence, the Democratic electoral ticket would still have triumphed by a handsome majority. The Force bill is dead.

Let us run this union on the basis of a true union, and cease to plunder the public purse for private purposes.

And, mind you, this is the second time that the people of this land have so expressed their deliberate judgment. In 1890 the northern states sent to congress far more Democrats than Republicans.

Now to the will of the people.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Nerve Lexington Better.

Hops Laudeman is probably the biggest winner in Lexington on the election outside of Holloway & Murphy. He won a \$1,000 bet from Col. Mitt Young. He made two other very nifty bets and won them both. One was \$500 even that Texas would give a bigger plurality for Cleveland than any three States would for Harrison, the other map taking Pennsylvania, Ohio and Vermont. The other bet was \$600 to \$20 that the election would not be thrown into the house.—Lexington Press.

LEE COUNTY.

St. Helens Sayings.
Quite a number of our neighbors attended Nov Spring church last Sunday. Miss Kate Gray, who has been under treatment for sore throat at Dr. Arnold's, returned home to-day at Gray Bend.
W. H. Simms and wife, of Oakdale,

have returned home after several days' visit among relatives and friends here.

Miss Ellen McGuire has returned from Hazel Green, after a pleasant visit among relatives and friends for several weeks.

Owing to the scarcity of news your correspondent failed to write last week. Will try and be more prompt in future.

Burn.—On Monday Nov. 7th, to the wife of Letcher Saunders, a fine ten-pound girl. Letcher's face is radiant with smiles, and he says he is going to call it Ruth Cleveland.

The new engine for the construction of the W. & B. railroad has arrived and track laying has commenced. It is thought the cars will be running into Beattyville by the 20th of December.

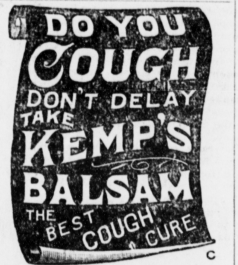
T. M. Davidson, of Chaves, Perry county, was in our midst last week. We believe Tom has decided to obey the injunction of the scriptures that "it is best that man should not live alone," by the way he was talking to one of our best girls.

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Days of sweet and sweet regret,
Days of languor sore, and pain,
Days of smiling rest again,
All have passed, and now to-day,
Time passes with his hurried way,
Smiling with meaning far away,
And lays a birthday on my day.
Much the years have brought to thee:
A tender, boundless charity,
A calm and gracious womanhood,
The strength which makes the truly good,
A charm of manner like a scent
Of violets with breezes blest,
Life, from thy treasures manifold,
Hath poured on you his purest gold,
And underneath the strain of care,
Like chords of music quiver and rare,
Soft breathings of affection o'er,
And with melody the home.
Sweet heart! (Thou dear hand of time
Are made for memory's dream,
For soothing weary ones to rest,
For clasping children to the breast,
For true love's service, simple, sweet,
Leading souls to the Master's feet,
All life is richer, deeper,
Because of thee: like a gleaming star
Thy quiet life will brighten all.
The daisied way of affection leads
Oh, sweetest, dearest truth divine
That love's pure light will ever shine!
All life will ever live and glow,
Sustained by the Eternal Love.
Thy earnest soul will be a life,
With precious stores of tenderness,
With never-fading charity,
Through cycles of affection o'er,
The children in the Father's home;
Helping the weakest one to come
And leading on to the Father's house
Find everlasting peace and rest.
—Frances Cheney, in Hazel Budget.

bers. She blushed prettily as I walked into the room. I spoke to her in the idiotic manner that is in vogue when two are obliged to speak without a formal introduction, and stepped out on the porch where I could see the grand old hills that loomed up in the purpling shades of the coming evening. I could not help speculating about John Furby's misadventure, and I concluded that one of Aunt Furby's matchmaking efforts had miscarried.

Presently Uncle Si and Aunt Furby came in and while she and the girl I had seen were putting the finishing touches to the supper table, which had been waiting my coming, Uncle Si came out on the porch to tell me that his tobacco crop was of excellent quality and much heavier than usual. In a short time we were called to supper, and Aunt Furby introduced me to the young lady by saying: "This is Nettie."

After supper Uncle Si and I went back to the porch and he lighted his cornucopia pipe, while I drew deep breaths of the cool breeze from the night. "I liked the mother so much that I told her to come," he said. "I was just a-tellin' her, 'You did, didn't you?' I told the rest of it then."

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wanted John to marry a little higher in the social scale than to take a farmer's daughter. Mother, you know, is a little inclined to be aristocratic on some points.

"Well, things went on in a perfectly satisfactory manner for more'n a month, an' mother an' me had it all fixed, how we was-a-going to set John up in business. He had a little property from his father, an' mother she's got quite a passel of money one place an' another, an' I've got a little down to the bank at Ripley, that Cashier Shoe-maker said care of for me, an' so puttin' this at that together we could gather up a right tidy sum on a pinch."

"As I was a-sayin', things was good on a merry pace. John an' Phil an' the hired gal they went over to Bradley's every night, or else Nellie an' Miss Herbert an' Tom they come over here, an' mother kep' me awake half the night every mortal night tellin' me how she was-a-going to keep me up to do so well, an' she even got up a plan to have three wedding's all at one time in the church down to Ripley, an' she loved that she would do the best she could for the hired gal, whose mother was a widder an' not very well off in this world's goods. Phil wasn't very well fixed himself, only his education an' his position as a book-keeper in a mercantile establishment, but he was a good housekeeper, an' a savin', an' jest the gal for Phil to a T. She calculated on givin' her a good settin' out, she thought a sight of her an' her mother before her, and she was so tickled to think that John was not goin' to marry her that she felt pretty to be liberal toward her."

"I listened to mother so much that I swow I got interested in the business, an' most of the time I was a-workin' some scheme or 'nother to help her along."

"Just then Aunt Furby came out on the porch and Uncle Si settled back in his chair and began to stroke his whiskers in a meditative manner."

"You'd better finish the story I've been tellin' Harry," she said, as she bestowed herself in a capacious rocker.

"What was you a-tellin' him?" queried Aunt Furby.

"I was just a-tellin' him about how you made some matches among the young folks an' got John married off," answered Uncle Si.

"Now Simon Peter Low," said Aunt Furby, "if you ain't the biggest body I ever see, you can't never keep your mouth shut about anything, an' you go an' blaas everything you know the first chance you get."

"I might as well tell you the straight of it," she continued, turning to me. "For I know papain't never tell a thing jest as it is. How much did he tell you?"

"I just explained to him how John fell in love with Miss Herbert an' Phil Hunt with the hired girl," interposed Uncle Si, chuckling as if he had perpetrated a joke.

"Oh," said Aunt Furby, "you did, didn't you?" I told the rest of it then."

"They ain't much to tell," she began, ignoring Uncle Si and addressing me. "Only one day the young folks went off over to the Kentucky side to spend the day a-philandering through the country. At the last minit the hired girl didn't want to go and John took her to task for wantin' to 'spoil the fun,' an' they had a long talk out on this very porch, and finally she cried, an' John he said he wouldn't goless she did, and then she got ready, an' afore she could she come an' kissed me as if she didn't never expect to see me again."

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to me an' said: 'kiss your mother, darlin', an' afore I knew what I was a-doin' I had my arms around her neck an' was givin' her a good hugger. Pap he thought it was a good joke on me, but I found out a good while ago that I couldn't tell her a secret without it's gittin' all over the country, an' I fooled him this time if ever mortal man was fooled."

"Waal I should say you did," assented Uncle Si. "You even fooled yourself."

"—Harry Newell Carey, in Ohio Farmer.

TALES OF STRENGTH.

Men Who Could Kill a Bull with Their Fists.

After the Spanish occupation of the Grand Canary a certain enormous stone was for a long time pointed out as one of the instruments of the Gallaecian athletic contests. The natives had been able to lift it, set it on their shoulders and even throw it over their heads. Their dogs, trained to fight the Spaniards, could not raise it from the ground. Tradition has immortalized one Adargoma, of Grand Canary, who could wrestle for two consecutive hours, and had been thrown under a stone in a certain contest got his antagonist between his legs and arms and squeezed him so that his bones began to crack. The man was taken to a general's quarters as a prisoner to Spain, where he astounded the people by his performances. One day, in Seville, he was visited by a brawny youth of La Mancha, who was anxious to try a bout with him. "My good friend," said Adargoma, "as we are going to wrestle together it is only reasonable that we should begin by drinking something. A large bowl of wine having been brought, he took this in one hand and continued to address his challenger: 'If with both your arms you can overcome one of mine, so as to hinder me from drinking any more of this wine, we will try our strength together. If not, you may return to your home.' The struggle took place, and Adargoma by degrees drained the bowl in the coolest manner without spilling a drop of the wine. His one hand was more than a match for the two. It was reckoned nothing out of the common for a man to take an unfettered dog by the head and neck and strangle it with the other. A certain native-born priest of Grand Canary, in the seventeenth century, showed that he inherited some of his ancestor's vigor, for one day, hearing that an enraged bull had broken loose and was in the street, he ran out, and, grasping it by the leg, threw it down and so held it until it was able to secure it. This dauntless son of the church before his death chanced to have one of his legs amputated for a cancer. It was then found that his thigh bone was hollow, and the trace of marrow in it must be confessed, however, that the relics of the Canarians now found in their burying places do not bear out the inference that this was a national characteristic. The dimensions of the stone certainly a testimony of the strength and size of their late proprietors.—National Review.

The Charity of Death.

"The man I marry," she said, fondly, "must possess all the graces and none of the faults of the fallen angels."

"You are worthy of it," he rejoined, edging closer.

"He must be upright, generous, witty, bright, vivacious, keen, cutting, sparkling."

"Yes."

"He must be loving, forgiving, willing, able, lively, dashingly valorous."

"Yes."

"He must be succinct, precise, determined, candid, rich, handsome, tender."

"Yes."

"Blue-eyed, and white-winged, and musical, and lyrical, and poetical, and phisical."

"I have a plan," said the man on the sofa. "I think I can find a man for you."

"My darling," she fluttered, looking worlds and worlds, and preparing to pucker her lips.

"You will find your man in the graveyard. Only men of extraordinary virtues die, you know," he said, edging away and reaching for his hat, "it is tolerably certain that few of the other kind survive."

Now she must wait till next leap year.—Once a Week.

A Well Reasoned Case.

Adulteration is bad and sanitation is good, but some of the results shown by vigilant inspectors and clever chemists in the past few years have shown the dangers that surround us and run down offenders against sanitary laws are very funny. A wholesale and highly respected grocer was tried in a London court a few days ago for selling tartaric acid adulterated with lead. The acid was used in making lemonade and the lead in it got there from the vessels in which the acid was manufactured. The prosecution showed that the tartaric acid contained 0.0026 per cent. of lead. The defense showed that in order to get a twentieth part of a grain of the poison into one's system he would be necessary to drink lemonade every day for twenty months at the rate of 250 bottles a day. The experts added gravely that before taken in that manner the experimenter would die of dyspepsia. The charge was dismissed, but to satisfy the sanitary officials the judge agreed to "state a case," presumably as a warning to other evil doers.—N. Y. Sun.

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

—Ruth Kimball, who was an attractive figure in the gallery at an attractive convention, and whose reports were brilliant and accurate, is the only woman that was ever admitted to the proslavery press in the Senate.

—The engagement ring given by the Comte Leonino to Mile de Rothschild is composed of a superbly large diamond and ruby placed in a slanting position on the surface of the emerald of gold and smaller diamonds are placed beside them.

—Mrs. A. E. W. Robertson, of Muscogee, I. T., has completed the translation of the New Testament from the original Greek into the Creek language. The university of Ohio has conferred upon her the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in recognition of her scholarly attainments.

—Senator Quay has purchased what is known as the Matthew Stanley farm, four miles north of Coatesville, Pa. The senator passed his boyhood days on this farm, being a nephew of Matthew Stanley, after whom he was named. The farm contains 150 acres, and the price paid was \$10,000.

—Queen Christina of Spain, upon receiving the announcement that the thousandth baby had been named after her husband, sent the parents a boy's wardrobe, silver baby services and a handsome nest egg, with the message: "To the thousandth Alfonso, from a woman whom to Alfonsos have made happy."

—Most of Bjornstjerne Bjornson's novels are written at his farm in Norway. He prefers doing literary work there rather than in his handsome home in Paris. His study is an enormous room, furnished with books, and he works so rapidly that he will black out the plot of an entire novel in two or three days.

—Thackeray had a free pass over the Peninsular & Oriental Steamship Co.'s lines. Carlyle once took one of the penny ferriesboats in Scotland always allowed a blind fiddler to cross for nothing to amuse the passengers. Thackeray never liked Carlyle much for the reason that Carlyle said that his part he couldn't understand why.

—One of Mr. Whittier's last public acts was joining the Brotherhood of Christian Unity. In doing this he wrote the following letter to the Rev. Charles F. Johnson, of New York: "For years I have been desirous of a movement for uniting all Christians with one other creed or pledge than a simple recognition of Christ as our lord, and I have read the published articles on the subject with hearty approval and sympathy. I am truly thy friend, John G. Whittier."

HUMOROUS.

"—What he does—'That fellow never does anything but—'—How does time occasionally."—Yankee Blade.

—Johnson—"What are you saving your money for—next winter's amusements?"—Thompson—"No, last winter's."—Y. Herald.

"—Parks—'There goes Dazzler; isn't he a pretty close-mouthed fellow?'—Staries—"Dazzler, yes, he doesn't even tell the truth often."—Inter-Ocean.

"—'You haven't heard anything until you have heard both sides,' says a writer. This may be pretty logic, but the big drum refutes it."—Tad Hills.

"—She—"You say you think Mr. Pinkle was born lucky. Why, he's been flitted by four girls." Her Husband—"That's lucky"—Smith, Gray & Co's Monthly.

"—Johnny—"I'm real sick and ma won't let me go to school." Wallie (with marked envy)—"Wair did you find out wot sumtims to have?"—Chicago Record.

"—How do you like you in Scrabbleville?" asked one actor of another. "Very much, indeed, it appeared. It was all I could do to induce the landlord to let me leave."—Washington Post.

—Dunn-Brown—"I should like to feel that when I die I leave the world better than I found it." Jackson—"My dear fellow, I am quite sure the world will be better when you are gone."—Judy.

—Hold His Own Then.

The odds seem all against me, sir, and death misfortunes of it I groan, but when my hour comes I'll say, Oh, then I feel I hold my own.

—Yankee Blade.

—A Literary Revolutionist—"The meter in the poem is lovely," explains the poet. "No doubt, it is a lovely poem, but it isn't meter, it's meat that we are after in poems now."—Detroit Free Press.

—What is (alluding to a steam shovel)—"What is that thing that is doing on that car, dear?" He (of Chicago, and once flitted by a "future city belle.")—"That's an ice-cream spoon on its way to St. Louis girl."—Pittsburgh Bulletin.

—First Reporter—"Charley is what I call a first-rate newspaper man. He always represents things just as they are. Sober, little—'But he isn't good for anything when it comes to representing things as they are not.'—Boston Transcript.

—Smith and Jones were having a wordly argument on politics, when Jones said: "The fact is, we are all dead yet." "That is an unnecessary assertion," said Smith. "Why so?" "Because you enjoy remarking my health yourself."—N. Y. Press.

MANY ASSAR.



LIKE to visit Uncle Si Low and his good old friend, Mr. Furby, for both of them are jolly old people, and making is the source of a great deal of amusement for all her friends. Before she married Uncle Si she was the widow Furby, the lamented Furby having died at the age of fifty, leaving his widow to arrange a match for herself, a thing that was fully capable of doing, as was proven by the fact that she was led, to the altar by Uncle Si in considerably less than a year after Mr. Furby had "gone over," to quote the somewhat non-committal language of the pastor who ministered to the spiritual wants of the members of the little country church of which he had been a member. In view of the fact that Uncle Si had been a widower for nearly ten years before he fell victim to Cupid's arrows, and that since Aunt Furby, there were those in the neighborhood who meanly intimated that in this case the lady had done the courting, but it does not interfere with the fact that there was a good old couple to visit, and if the story were a true one, it has not the remotest connection with one I have to tell.

It was last fall that I had a "word" to promise, to visit Uncle Si and his companion. I had written them when I was coming, and as the little river steamer bumped up against the wharfboat at the river, I remarked to my friend on the lookout. That portion of his face that was not hidden by his full beard, and the twinkling of his bright gray eyes, assured me that my welcome was a cordial one, and in a few minutes we were spinning up the road toward his home. Uncle Si asked me so many questions about myself that I had no time to inquire about his people further than to get the assurance that Aunt Furby was "sort of middlin'," which was Uncle Si's way of saying that she was in perfect health. He did ask about Aunt John Furby, Aunt Furby's son, and Uncle Si told me he was married, in a very matter of fact way, and when I asked to whom, I received the very indefinite information that his bride had been a "good old woman." From the scantiness of the information given me I suspected there was something unpleasant connected with his marriage, and dropped the subject without further remark, then to express surprise, when I did not feel the least symptoms of that emotion.

As we drove up to the gate in front of Uncle Si's house, Aunt Furby came down to meet us and tell me that "welcome as the flowers in May," and ask me more questions than I could have answered in a week, but as she did not pause for an answer to a "word" I added to my reputation with her of being "being a sensible young man who never tries to cut a person off when they're talkin'." Uncle Si went on to take care of the team and I followed Aunt Furby into the house and was shown into the sacred and solemn gloom of the "spare room" which was only opened to the most welcome guests. I soon escaped from the prison-like order that prevailed and wandered down to the kitchen. Here I found a blooming lassie who I had never met before. I supposed she was the hired girl and probably the daughter of some neighbor who had a surplus of daugh-



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HOME HINTS AND HELPS.

—Apples are used by French cooks in almost all fruit pies, and they give that delicate custardy which is a notable feature of their French pastries. The fruit in many of these pies is not cooked at all, but merely warmed through and seasoned.—N. Y. Tribune.

—The intense itching of the gums with itching infants suffer so greatly may be allayed by giving finely-cracked ice every few minutes. A successful mother has been given with danger and the little one soothed and quieted because of the great relief.—Detroit Free Press.

—It is a good plan to keep in the pantry one of those cold chests for desserts and other dishes that should be served directly from the ice. A good size is about twenty-eight inches high, twenty-one inches wide and twenty-eight inches long. This chest requires only six pounds of ice a day, and the temperature can be reduced to the freezing point if desired.

—Gingersnaps: One cupful of sugar, one cupful of treacle, one cupful of butter (lard will answer, mixed lard and suet from the frying-kettle is better), one teaspoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in two spoonfuls of hot water. Make a stiff dough with flour, and knead thoroughly. Roll as thin as possible, cut in small rounds, and bake in a moderate oven.—Household Monthly.

—Eggs poached with tomatoes make a very nice variety. In a flat-bottomed granite kettle have about a pint of cooked tomatoes, break five or six eggs into a plate and slip in carefully upon the hot tomatoes; loosen the whites at the edges as they stiffen. When the whites are coagulated prick the yolks so that the yolk will flow out, cook a few minutes longer and place the tomatoes on thin slices of toasted bread, slightly moistened.—Ohio Farmer.

—Venetian Almond Cake: One and one-half pounds of flour, one and one-half pounds of cream, powdered sugar, pint of egg-yolks, almond flavoring. Whisk the eggs and sugar to a very light batter, add the flavoring; sift the flour, lightly work it into the batter, turn it on a tin lined with paper, spread the mixture an inch thick, sprinkle the top thickly with chopped almonds and crystal sugar, with just a slight dusting of red sugar; bake in a moderate oven. When cold, remove the paper, cut the cake into squares, then cut them across from corner to corner, making triangles.—Good Household.

SINGLE BEDS.

Why It Is Well for Persons to Sleep by Themselves.

If these were more numerous than they are, a great many people would be better off. When one is tired, sick, cross, restless, out-of-sorts, he or she ought to sleep alone and not communicate with anybody by proximity. When one is affected by the flu, the cold, or any other ailment, the best way to get over it is to sleep alone, and this is a great many human beings have found that the best way to get over it is to sleep alone, and this is a great many human beings have found that the best way to get over it is to sleep alone.

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Autumn and Winter Hats. A round hat with a brim of beige-colored velvet. A ruler of velvet surrounds the crown, and a bow of beige-colored ottoman ribbon is placed at the back, supporting a cluster of ostrich tips with an angle shading from beige to white. The strings are of a light shade of beige. Another round hat has a brim of tobacco brown felt edged with a narrow silk marabout and a soft crown of velvet to match, ornamented with gilt pins. Irregular loops of brown velvet, bows of green ribbon, and two shaded green quills tie the trimming. A small toggle button has a crown of white velvet and a brim of gray-green velvet folded, encircled by a twist which is knotted at the front. A velvet bow is placed at the back, holding two white ostrich tips. The strings are of white ribbon.—Harper's Bazar.

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THE VEILED PROPHET.

Final Arrangements for His Majesty's Annual Visit.

Arrival by Water and Military Parade on Saturday—Grand Parade and Ball on Tuesday—Fair Week Attractions.

St. Louis, Sept. 23.—The Veiled Prophet will arrive the day after tomorrow, and every one is now discussing the details of his grand entrance and of the magnificent festival, parade and ball of next Tuesday. For fourteen years in succession the mystic monarch has visited the city, arriving every year in a secret manner, and not making his appearance until the parade. But this year the carnival at St. Louis is so much grander than anything which has preceded it, that His Majesty has decided to make a formal entrance, and he will accordingly arrive by boat on Saturday afternoon. He will be met by the First Regiment, N. G. M., and by a large delegation of influential citizens. The prophet will hold a reception at the Exposition in the afternoon and will then retire to his "den," from which he will emerge on Tuesday afternoon.



The Veiled Prophet.

The parade on Tuesday will be a magnificent spectacle, unusual trouble and expense having been incurred in preparing the floats and moving spectacles, while from the 25,000 gas and electric lights brilliant rays of countless shades will add to the splendor and magnificence of the scene. Enormous crowds will view the parade from points of vantage along the route, and excursion trains will be run to the city from various locations. Specially low rates for the carnival will be made by the various railroads next week, and it will be possible to secure round-trip tickets for one fare from nearly every depot in this section.

Advantage should be taken of this opportunity, for the attractions next week are so numerous that fresh enjoyment can be found every day. The exposition, with its four concert halls by the grandstand band in America; the fair, with special attractions in the ring and the water lotus, to say nothing of the Veiled prophet and of the magnificent illuminations of Tuesday and Thursday, will combine to make the first week of October the week never to be forgotten by residents in, or visitors to, the great western and southwestern metropolis.

The Water Lotus. There is a plant growing in the southern waters of the United States which possesses the singular property of being able to render the most impure standing water perfectly healthy. The people of Louisiana and Mississippi call it the water lotus. It consists of leaves about the size of the head of a pin, and roots so fine as to escape notice except under a microscopic inspection. Where it grows at all it covers the water, and to the casual observer looks like a coating of green scum. The flowers and seeds are microscopic, so that its appearance in any given locality is not readily accounted for, but wherever it does appear the water beneath is always fit to drink. So marked is this property that families using the water from bays where the lotus is not found. It is often transplanted into ponds, bays and lakes, spreads with wonderful rapidity, and never fails to do its work well.—Chicago Times.

—On a celebrated occasion in Vienna, when there was much excitement in all the European courts over affairs of international moment, the French ambassador was suddenly recalled by his government. "It is a very grave affair, it is not," Prince Metternich was asked by a lady at a court ball, "this recall of the ambassador?" "No," he said, "I assure you, madame, the prince responded, 'as it would have been if it had been the French ambassador's cook who was recalled. The ambassador can easily be replaced; but not his cook.'"

—Enterprise.—Merchant—James, you might as well call round to the glazier's and ask him to come and put in a pane of glass. James—Yes, sir, Merchant. And when you are out you might call on the painter's and get some large signs painted announcing a large mark-down sale during alterations and repairs. I'll get up an ad for the papers.—Yankee Blade.

—Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, now a misa of 11 years, is described as possessing a sweet disposition and sweet manners. There has been some talk in the past about her nervousness; but people speak of her now as a robust, rosy, healthy girl, fond of a romp and a run. She yet does not yet, and takes great pride in showing her assortment to her friends and in nursing her pets through no end of imaginary ailments.

—A loud, rasping and impatient voice rang out from the kitchen. "It was the voice of the new cook, 'Mrs. Billus.' 'Well, Mary?' 'You told me to bile the water, marm, and I have been bile' it an hour and a half. I want to know if you think it's done yet!'"

Good Night. Do you keep Dr. Hoxsey's Certain Croup Cure in the house? If not, lose no time in purchasing it, for it saves hours of suffering and anxiety. Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Quinsy Sore Throat, are cured and prevented. No prompt relief. No Optim. 50 cents. For sale by all prominent druggists throughout the United States. A. H. Hoxsey, Buffalo, N. Y., is the sole proprietor.

Nature is on the road along with the other fall travelers. Her samples of colors are unusually beautiful.—Boston Globe.

Give Us Rest. This is the prayer of the nervous who do not sleep well. Let them use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters and their prayer will be speedily answered. Indigestion is the product of indigestion and nervousness, two associate ailments, often remedied by the Bitters, which also vanquish such ailments as constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism and kidney complaints.

"I HAVE lots to tell you about," said the real estate man, meeting an old friend on the street.—Yonkers Statesman.

Have You Asthma? Dr. R. S. Knapp, N. Y. City, Minn., will mail a trial package of Schmitt's Asthma Cure free to any sufferer. Gives instant relief in all cases of asthma and cure of the lungs. Name this paper and send address.

"Ah," she murmured, as her father hustled two would-be visitors from the front door, "I think I hear the rustling of the waters."—N. Y. Evening Star.

W. H. Griffith, Janesville, Michigan writes: "Suffered with Catarrh for fifteen years, Hall's Catarrh Cure cured me." Sold by Druggists, 75c.

How Men easier it is to sit in the shade and tell one's friends what we intend to do, than it is to go out in the sun and do it.

Don't fool with Indigestion nor with a disordered liver, but take Beecham's Pills for immediate relief.—25 cents a box.

"This thing is worth looking into," murmured the pretty girl as she stood in front of her mirror.—Chicago Tribune.

If you want to be cured of a cough use Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Place's Throat Drops Cure in one minute.

There is generally music in the air when he wakes at midnight.

Winds show which way the straws blow. The weeping willow should be planted in tiers.

The "hello" girl at the telephone exchange has much to answer for.

Cuts a queer figure—the Chinese idol carver.—N. Y. Morning Journal.

When you offer oats to a horse he may say neigh, but he doesn't mean it.

The mother tongue is probably the language of Mars.—Yonkers Statesman.

Sir:—Do you summer in the country? He:—No, I summer in the city.—Puck.

"It is a cold day when I get left," observed the palm leaf.

If you do not want your feelings hurt keep them out of the way.—San Antonio News.

The only way it pays a person to be his own lawyer is to keep his own counsel.

Any person can do there, but the question is what is he going to do after he arrives.—Dallas News.

What is the difference between a hill and a puff? One is hard to get up and the other is hard to get down.

Sir:—I see Miss Livingston has become Mrs. Livingston Jones. He:—Yes, united in the bonds of hyphen.

Pointing at the caudal appendage of the hand-organ monkey, Quibble remarked: "That tail of a wog ain't his."—Boston Transcript.

A rest within a rest—a good bed on a safe ship.—Horn's Horn.

When you see a counterfeiter coin on the sidewalk, always pick it up. You are liable to arrest if you try to pass it.

One can't judge of the average boy's intellect by the little evidence of "mind" he gives when his mother speaks to him.

"August Flower" "I am happy to state to you and to suffering humanity, that my wife has used your wonderful remedy, August Flower, for sick headache and palpitation of the heart, with satisfactory results. For several years she has been a great sufferer, has been under the treatment of eminent physicians in this city and Boston, and found little relief. She was induced to try August Flower, which gave immediate relief. We cannot say too much for it." L. C. Frost, Investors, Mass.

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English books were first printed by Caxton, 1474.
Roller skates were invented by Pinyon, 1658.
Alcohol was first discovered in the thirteenth century.
Covered carriages were first used in England, 1580.
Steam-winding watches were invented by Noel, 1851.
Aerometers were first described by Baume, 1768.
The thermometer was the invention of Galileo, 1596.
The first cast-iron plow was made by Newbold, 1797.
The Armstrong gun was planned by Armstrong, 1855.
The knitting machine was invented by Hooton, 1776.
Aniline dyes were discovered by Unverdorben in 1826.
The first plaster cast was made by Verrochio, 1470.
The torpedo was the invention of Dr. Bushnell, 1777.
The steam fire engine was the work of Ericsson, 1830.
Gun caps were first used in 1822, in the English army.
Flints for gun locks were used in the French Army, 1630—Globe Democrat.

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A Bank Teller's Lucky Dream.

The undiscovered idea of a dream may sometimes correct the errors of the day. A paying teller in a bank noticed among the line of patrons one particularly noisy and impatient individual, who insisted upon the immediate payment of a check for \$50, as he could not wait his turn. The teller, to get rid of his importunities, paid him and thought no more of the circumstances. At the end of the fiscal year the books of the bank showed a deficiency of \$50, and, after a week's hard work in trying to make them balance, he gave the matter up and drew his personal check for the amount. The same night he dreamed, and the whole circumstances of the noisy individual returned to him so clearly that he went to the party's account and found where the money had been paid and never entered in the books of interest.

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Megrimine, the only permanent cure for all forms of headache and neuralgia, relieves the pain in from 15 to 30 minutes. For sale on positive guarantee at THE HERALD office, or sent postpaid by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents a box.

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Not the Only Object.

The mere communication of a knowledge is not the only object to be kept in mind in constructing a system of academic education. However important the information we receive from a particular author may be, and whatever improvements might be made in the method of communicating it by a more strict examination, it must be observed that such methods embrace only the means, and not the ultimate object of our education. They tend to improve the power of comprehension and of memory, but they are never calculated to confer that penetration by the means of which the student generates new trains of thought and acquires the habit of estimating the grounds of his judgment, and of combining and expressing such information that has been obtained.—Selected.

The Best Plaster.

Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind it on over the seat of pain. It is better than any plaster. When the lungs are sore such an application on the chest and another on the back, between the shoulder blades, will often prevent pneumonia. There is nothing so good for a lame back or a pain in the side. A sore throat can nearly always be cured at night by applying a flannel bandage dampened with Pain Balm. 50 cent bottles for sale by Rose & Jones.

No Peers Left For a Jury.

They were about to lynch a horse thief in a western town, when a lawyer from the East, who happened to be present, stepped to the front and asked if he could not save a few weeks before knocking the barrel from under the prisoner. Permission was granted, on condition that he would make it short.

"Gentlemen," he said, "you should not take the law in your own hands in this manner. You are not fair to yourselves. Why do you not let this man be tried by a jury of his peers?"

"Hold on, stranger," interrupted the leader. "You've said enough. He can't be tried by a jury of his peers, for he's the only horse thief left in the country. He won't be here long, and he kicked the barrel and settled the business on the spot."

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A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetters, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scatches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. It is put up in 25 and 50 cent boxes. For sale by Rose & Jones.

Openly Charged With Dishonesty.

To the members of our Legislature, jointly and severally, no matter whether they are People's party, Republicans or Democrats, we give the following straight tip, free of cost. Up to a certain time the people of the state only charged their representatives with dishonesty, but now they are openly charged with dishonesty, and with obtaining money on false pretenses. Some of them are running for congress, or for other offices, some are attending the Lexington races, while many others are at home looking after their private affairs, and in view of facts like these we do not see how these men can parry the attacks that are being made upon their personal integrity.—Woodford Sun.

Are your children subject to croup?

If so, you should never be without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is a certain cure for croup, and has never been known to fail. If given freely as the croupy cough appears it will prevent the attack. It is the sole reliance of thousands of mothers who have croupy children, and never disappoints them. There is no danger in giving this Remedy in large and frequent doses, as it contains nothing injurious. 50 cent bottles for sale by Rose & Jones.

A Large Cypress Tree.

The large cypress tree planted by John Bartram in 1688 in his famous Botanic garden, near Philadelphia, is still growing there, and is about 120 feet high and 28 feet in circumference. Some excitement was created in Philadelphia by the statement that the city of Philadelphia, which has no control of this garden, intended to cut down the tree and send the trunk to the Chicago fair. Of course, there was no truth whatever in this rumor, but it tended to show how much interest the public took in preserving fine old trees.

Mr. W. M. Terry, who has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for the past twelve years, says:

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A Fight for 700,000 Acres.

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Lane's Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

Re-Elected Secretary.

The Mt. Sterling Advocate, of the 8th inst., says, "Miss Mattie Quicksall returned Friday from the meeting of the State F. & L. E. at Owensboro last week. She reports the meeting well attended and its proceedings harmonious. Much business of importance to the order was attended to. C. S. Bate, of Jefferson county, was elected state president, and Miss Mattie Quicksall, of this city, was re-elected secretary-treasurer."

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Choked Him to Death.

Joe Debad killed a Joe Hall at White Horse, a mountain farm, twenty-seven miles above Louisville, Ky., on election day. Debad cut Hall severely with a knife, and then finished the work by choking him to death. Both miners.

Steam navigation was once looked upon with doubt. So was the power of Dr. Fenner's Cough Honey to relieve any cough in one hour, until thousands of good for horses. Gives energy and strength. Money refunded if satisfaction not given. For sale by Rose & Jones.

There is a little-known public recreation in Colorado called Lost Park. It contains a herd of twenty-five grown buffaloes. A party of hunters and taxidermists are said to be hunting them to extermination. The governor is after the depredators.

For headaches, biliousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, the blues, scrofula, the blood and all skin eruptions Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic never fails. Warranted to satisfy or money refunded. Could this be afforded if Dr. Fenner's wasn't this? For sale by Rose & Jones.

The Sweetwater (Texas) Review, Nov. 4th, says: "Elder D. H. Hallen, the new preacher just employed by the Christian church, will preach in this church Sunday morning and night. Everybody is invited to come out and hear him."

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